Prep I Timetable March 23rd-27th

Welcome to home learning with Chloe, Charity and Rebecca

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Literacy 45 minutes **Sign and notices** **Creative writing with Chloe and Rebecca** Discuss where we see signs and notices (hunt and find them around the home), why are they there (to keep us safe, warn us of danger, to follow rules, for sharing information) . Can you go on a hunt around your home, look out of the window on your street, can you see a sign? Can you create your own sign for Mulberry House to keep you safe? It could be a sign that says no running on the stairs or a sign that says No Nuts!	**Literacy 30-45 minutes** **Phonics** **Phonics intro with Chloe and Rebecca** This week we are looking at the 'ur' diagraph. Please have a look at Mr Thorne does phonics below. Mr Thorne Does Phonics Can you think of any words with the 'ur' diagraph? Write as many as you can. **Spelling Bank** Hurt Curl Turn Burnt Purse	**Literacy 30 minutes** **Reading** Read TO Your Child Read two or three books to your child. After each book, chat about your favourite parts of the book. Invite Your Child to "Read" Look at a book with your child. Practice looking for tricky words. Make sure you look at the comprehension tips on our literacy page. 	**Literacy 45 minutes** **Journal** **Mulberry House News** Its NEWS time! Record in your journal all of the fun things you have done this week. Don't forget to include some adjectives to make your writing more exciting and a connective to extend your sentences. 	Click onto the Extra Curricular page and online resources on the website and EXPLORE!

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Maths 30 minutes **Halving** **Halving with Charity** Let's look at what half means. Take an apple and cut it into two. Make sure you have an adult with you when using a knife. What else can you cut in half? Pizza, bread, Oranges? When we share/cut in half, we end up with two *equal* parts. Click the link below to hear a story about halving. **Give me Half!**	**Maths 30 minutes** **Problem Solving** Go to the problem solving tab on the maths page and download your activity-Apples and Pairs Challenge	**Maths 30 minutes** **3D Shapes** **Shape Hunting** We have looked at 3D Shapes before. Let's recap! 3D Shapes Can you go on a shape hunt around your house? Make a list of what you can find. I found a can of baked beans in my kitchen cupboard that looks like a cylinder! Can you create your own 3D shape and give it name?	**Maths 30 minutes** **Problem Solving** Go to the problem solving tab on the maths page and download your activity-Calculating Counters	Click onto the Extra Curricular page and online resources on the website and EXPLORE!
Science 45 minutes **Exploring density** Let's further our knowledge of sinking and floating by creating a density tower. **What you need:** • A container (jar) or long glass • Sunflower/vegetable oil • Water • Three small different weighted objects, eg: a key, a cherry tomato, a ping pong ball **Method:** Put the water in the container then add the oil and watch the		**Science 45 minutes** **Chemical reaction with citric acid** Let's see what happens when we mix citric acid and baking soda. Do they react in an unusual way? **What you need:** • Lemons (2 recommended) • Baking soda • Food colouring (optional) • Dish soap (optional, makes the lava more froffy) • Tray • Cup and spoon **Method:** Cut off the base of your lemon to make a flat surface. Core the lemon. Mash the centre of your lemon with a		

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liquids separate. Finally add your objects one at a time. What happens? **Taking it further:** Try adding in different liquids, including milk and honey and explore what happens. Challenge your child to see how many different layers they can create.		spoon (don't let the lemon juice escape). Add food dye into your lemon (optional) and then a squeeze of dish soap into your lemon (optional). Add in a spoonful of baking soda. Watch the mixture fix and foam! **Taking it further:** Explore what happens when you alter the amounts of lemon juice and baking soda. MAKE SURE AN ADULT HELPS YOU TO CUT THE LEMON		

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